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The Bug Operator Sent This:
"If She Signed Her Name
'P. S.' Would You Adeline More!"

Sporting

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We Are Trying To Think of
Something Worse Than
That But We Give Up. Help!

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Bombardier Has Come and Gone and Left A Good Impression

By Tom S. Andrews

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 1.—That Bombardier (Billy) Wells, the British heavyweight, made a great hit in New York when he knocked out Tom Kennedy good with-out saying, not because it was Tom Kennedy, but for the clean manner in which the Englishman accomplished his work. I had the pleasure of watching the men in action at Billy Gibson's club in Madison Square garden and could not help noticing the contrast between the match of July 4 at Las Vegas and this one. While Jim Flynn tried to rough it up with Jack Johnson, both Wells and Kennedy fought a clean and very clever battle, and it certainly was a pleasure to watch them. Wells weighed just 191 1-2 pounds, with Kennedy the same, which was about seven pounds more for Wells than when he fought Al Palmer. He surely looked the perfect athlete that night, being well muscled and tanned a healthy color.

It was Wells' cleverness that beat Kennedy, although I must say the latter was game to the core and never gave up until he had been counted out. Bombardier was accurate in his hitting, both with the left jab and right cross, and seldom a punch went astray. He fought cautiously with the exception of one round, when he mixed for a time with Kennedy, but he soon gained his composure and used his cleverness. I saw Wells fight Porky Flynn in London over a year ago and must say he has improved wonderfully since then, besides filling out nicely where he was weak before—his stomach. However, he needs more stamina before tackling Jack Johnson, and to my mind the best training the man can have now is mountain work, such as woodchopping, long walks up the mountain sides, etc.

It was this kind of work that used to put Jim Jeffries and others on edge for big fights. Wells does not need any more cleverness, he has plenty of that, but he can stand another 10 pounds to his frame and it will then take a champion to beat him. He has the knack of hitting properly with either hand, timing his blows nicely and using splendid judgment in delivering them.

James J. Corbett, the champion, was not there that night, but he saw the fight and in speaking of it he said: "Wells can profit in his work to my way of thinking. For instance, when a man like Palmer tries to force him to retreat backwards in a straight line, which means that he must eventually go into the ropes and then the strong fellow has a chance at him. If he were to shift to one side when his opponent starts rushing it would upset the other fellow and give him a chance to put in a hard right cross at the same time. Outside of that Wells looks like a great man and should come near being a champion. He needs more stamina above all."

Bombardier returned to England on July 23 and will remain there until fall, when he expects to take another fight at Palmer. Later on he may consent to a proposition to visit Australia for Hugh D. McIntosh.

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Facts and Fancies For Fans

"NOW, Mistah Gibson, I'm the champion of the whole world, and if you want me to fight in your town you'll have to give me \$30,000. Just about bring me from my home in Chicago, Ill." In mellifluous tones, John Arthur Johnson chirped this message over the long distance wire from Chicago to Billy Gibson, manager of the Garden A. C. at New York. When Gibson recovered from his swoon he asked a camp if he realized what \$30,000 iron men meant, and received a prompt

answer that Lili Artha knew just how far that dough could travel. All communications then ceased.

Gradually the old guard is falling behind and new tennis experts are claiming the premier honors. Palmer and Clothier have recently been compelled to relinquish their places. Palmer this year had to yield the tri-state title to Touchard and the bi-state title to McElroy of Pittsburgh. Clothier had to lower his colors before Nat Kline at Sea Bright, and thus lose the chance of becoming permanent possessor of the valuable and memorable Achilles cup.

The signing of Joseph O'Brien as an umpire by the American league is thought to presage the departure of Westervelt at present on San John's staff. A concentrated protest was made against Westervelt by Calahan, Sivall and Davis, and the signing of O'Brien, coming three days after the protest was filed, is believed to do—put Attell back on the map.

Billy Nolan, at one time manager of Battling Nelson, and now manager of Abe Attell, is determined that the former featherweight title holder must follow instructions or quit him entirely, as he will not tolerate any such methods at Attell has been following. There were rumors of a split between the two at Los Angeles the other day, but Billy says he will stick until he has accomplished what he started out to do—put Attell back on the map.

Billy Gibson, accompanied by the famous world's traveler, Dan McKelrick, has pulled out for Chicago to visit Jack Johnson. The object of their trip is to persuade Lili Artha what a grand thing it would be for him to come to Gotham and battle Joe Jeannette, for which performance he will draw down \$10,000. It is to save the difference of \$10,000 that the boys took the trailer.

"Mike Gibbons, the St. Paul boxer, can get a big purse and also a side bet of \$500 real money or more if he wants it, for fighting Jimmy Clabby 20 rounds in New Orleans after Sept. 1," said Frank Mulken, manager of

BREAKS WORLD'S
MOTORCYCLE RECORD

At Indianapolis—
Indianapolis R. 10
St. Paul R. 10
Second game—
Indianapolis R. 10
St. Paul R. 10

At Louisville—
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Kansas City R. 10
Second game—
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Kansas City R. 10

At Toledo—
Toledo R. 10
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At Columbus—
Columbus R. 10
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At Dallas—
Dallas R. 10
Galveston R. 10
Batteries: Dallas, Bader and Gibson; Galveston, Heitt and Wilson.

At Houston—
Houston R. 10
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Batteries: Houston, Foster, Helm and Reynolds; Austin, McCuller and Bobo.

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At Denver—
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At Lincoln—
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At Topeka—
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At Los Angeles—
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BASEBALL RESULTS AND CLUB STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Won. Lost. Pct.
Boston 30 61
Washington 27 62
Philadelphia 25 61
Chicago 24 61
Detroit 24 61
Cleveland 22 63
New York 21 63
St. Louis 20 64

Washington at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

Wednesday's Results.
Cleveland-Philadelphia game postponed on account of grand circuit meet.

At Chicago—
Chicago R. H. E.
New York 12 15 4
Batteries: Chicago, Cicotte, Peters and Kuhn; New York, Meyer, Ford and Sweeney.

At St. Louis—
St. Louis R. H. E.
Boston 4 8 0
Batteries: St. Louis, Egan and Carrigan; Boston, Redent and Carrigan.

At Detroit—
Detroit R. H. E.
Washington 4 8 0
Batteries: Detroit, Lake and Stanage; Washington, Cashion and Almsmith.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Won. Lost. Pct.
New York 24 72
Chicago 23 73
Philadelphia 22 74
Cincinnati 21 75
St. Louis 20 76
Brooklyn 19 77
Boston 18 78

Games Friday.
Pittsburg at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Brooklyn.

Wednesday's Results.
At Philadelphia—1st game. R. H. E.
Philadelphia 2 11 2
St. Louis 4 11 1
Batteries: Philadelphia, Moore and Seaton and Kilfer; St. Louis, Steele and Wing.

At Philadelphia—2d game. R. H. E.
Philadelphia 6 12 4
St. Louis 0 2 1
Batteries: Philadelphia, Brennan and Deolin; St. Louis, Grice and Bresnahan.

At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn R. H. E.
Chicago 11 14 4
Batteries: Brooklyn, Allen, Knetzer, Curtis, Kent and Miller; Chicago, Liefeld and Archer.

At New York—
New York R. H. E.
Cincinnati 0 5 5
Batteries: New York, Ames and Meyers; Cincinnati, Fromme, Moore and McLean, Clark.

At Boston—1st game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

At Boston—2d game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

At Boston—3d game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

At Boston—4th game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

At Boston—5th game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

At Boston—6th game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

At Boston—7th game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

At Boston—8th game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

At Boston—9th game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

At Boston—10th game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

At Boston—11th game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

At Boston—12th game. R. H. E.
Boston 6 12 2

Pittsburg 7 14 2
Batteries: Boston, Hess and Rariden; Pittsburg, O'Toole, Robinson, Camnitz and Kelly. (19 innings.)

At Boston—
Boston-Pittsburg, second game called off.

TEXAS LEAGUE.
Won. Lost. Pct.
Houston 42 61
San Antonio 41 62
Dallas 32 50
Beaumont 29 43
Austin 28 44
Fort Worth 25 40
Galveston 25 40

Wednesday's Results.
At Ft. Worth—
Ft. Worth R. H. E.
San Antonio 4 6 1
Batteries: Ft. Worth, Perritt and Kitchens; San Antonio, Crabble and Betts.

At Dallas—
Dallas R. H. E.
Galveston 4 13 1
Batteries: Dallas, Bader and Gibson; Galveston, Heitt and Wilson.

At Houston—
Houston R. H. E.
Austin 0 10 4
Batteries: Houston, Foster, Helm and Reynolds; Austin, McCuller and Bobo.

At Waco—
Waco R. H. E.
Beaumont 1 7 1
Batteries: Waco, Toff and Carson; Beaumont, Marshall, Brandt and O'Brien.

At Wichita—
Wichita R. H. E.
Wichita 5 11 1
Batteries: Wichita, Jordan and Clemens; Des Moines, Faber and Sweet.

At Denver—
Denver R. H. E.
St. Joseph 0 3 0
Batteries: Denver, Schreiber and Block; St. Joseph, Crutcher, Johnson and Gossett.

At Lincoln—
Lincoln R. H. E.
Lincoln 3 13 4
Batteries: Lincoln, Young and Schmidt; Omaha, Ryan and Johnson.

At Topeka—
Topeka R. H. E.
Topeka 2 11 2
Batteries: Topeka, Young and Schmidt; Omaha, Ryan and Johnson.

At Los Angeles—
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San Francisco 4 11 2
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Portland 6 10 0
Batteries: Oakland, Parkin, Gregory and Tiedemann; Portland, Gregg, Harkness, Koestner and Fisher.

At Sacramento—
Los Angeles R. H. E.
Sacramento 4 10 1
Batteries: Los Angeles, Slagle and Brooks; Sacramento, Arrelanes and Check.

At Nashville—
Nashville R. H. E.
Montgomery 4 10 1
Batteries: Nashville, Slagle and Brooks; Montgomery, Arrelanes and Check.

At Chattanooga—
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Mobile 4 10 1
Batteries: Chattanooga, Slagle and Brooks; Mobile, Arrelanes and Check.

At Atlanta—
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New Orleans 4 10 1
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At Indianapolis—
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